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Office Memorandum . United States Government

TO

Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

DATE: 7 November 1956

FROM

Chief, School of International Communism

SUBJECT:

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Weekly Activities Report No. 45

31 October - 7 November

SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

Nothing to report.

OTHER ACTIVITIES II.

1. On 1 November Chief, SIC following up an earlier meeting with the Board of National Estimates and other interested senior DDI officers, met with Ray Cline, Chief, Sino-Soviet Bloc Area of OCI, to discuss the proposed Communist Strategy and Tactics course for DDI personnel. Cline endorses the proposal. but feels that the number of people in the DDI offices who should take such training is quite limited. He suggested, for example, a maximum of 25 to 30 in OCI, most of whom would come from the non-Communist area staffs, and recommended that Free World Area of OCI, be consulted on this matter. We are planning to meet [as soon as possible. It seems now that a seminar, held three or four times a year, may fulfill whatever requirements the DDI may have for such training.

2. During the past week the entire staff has concentrated upon a revision of the Party Organization and Operations course on the basis of both staff and student critics of the course. These revisions will primarily cover a rather basic rearrangement of individual lectures and topics, providing more depth in the reading assignments and working out several problems for student participation.

3. Presentations:

Rositzke

1 November 1400-1600 OS/TR Capabilities and Limitations of Clandestine Operations on the Soviet Orbit

6 November 0900-1200 Foreign Service Officer Course, FSI

Communist Philosophy

1400-1700 Foreign Service Officer Course, FSI 7 November

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- 5 November 0900-1200 Communist Seminar, FSI
 Communist Doctrine

 6 November 0900-1200 Communist Seminar, FSI
 Party and Government in the USSR

 6 November 1400-1700 Foreign Service
 Officer Course, FSI
 Communist Economic and Political Doctrines

 6 November 1400-1530 Communist Seminar, FSI
 Communist China

 7 November 0900-1200 Foreign Service
 Officer Course, FSI
 Communist Organization and Tactics
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Office Memorandum . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO

Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

DATE: 31 October 1956

FROM

Chief, School of International Communism

SUBJECT:

Weekly Activities Report No. 44

24 October - 31 October

I. SIGNIFICANT TIEMS

Nothing to report.

II. <u>OTHER ACTIVITIES</u>

- 1. Introduction to Communism No. 2 was completed by 121 students on 26 October. Staff observation and student critiques indicate that most of the weak spots found in the first running of this course have been remedied satisfactorily. the course report is being prepared.
- 2. The first running of Party Organization and Operations was completed by thirty-three students on 26 October. Preliminary results of the final examination, which was in essay form and will take somewhat longer to evaluate completely, appear to be highly satisfactory. The student critiques offered several concrete suggestions for changing both the time allotted and the substance covered in lectures, and the material included in the required assignments. These suggestions will be incorporated, wherever possible, in the next presentation of this course scheduled for 26 November. The course report is in process.
- 3. On 29 October the staff began a two-week, full time, tutorial coverage of the Anti-Communist Operations course for three students from DDP/FE. This was requested because all three individuals are leaving for overseas assignments prior to the next regular running of the ACO in January 1957.

4. Presentations:

Rositzke

30 October 0830-1030 OS/TR U.S. In Foreign Affairs Significance of Clandestine Activities

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